

RESOLUTION NO. 22-220

WHEREAS, The Borough of Red Bank is permitted to join cooperative purchasing agreements under the authority of N.J.S.A. 5:34-7; and

WHEREAS, the HGACBuy bidding and contract award process meets the criteria as established by the Department of Community Affairs; and

WHEREAS, The Borough of Red Bank intends to participate in the HGACBuy contract award, specifically contract #BT01-21, to purchase Buses – Shuttles, Transits, Trams, & Other Specialty Buses; and

WHEREAS, It is the intent of the Red Bank Borough Purchasing Agent to make a purchase pursuant to said contract award to Creative Bus Sales Inc. pursuant to the proposal submitted to the Borough of Red Bank dated August 30, 2022; and

WHEREAS, the Director of the Department of Utilities and the Senior Center Director has reviewed the proposal and has determined that said purchase through the HGACBuy contract award, contract #BT01-21 will result in significant savings to the Borough, and

WHEREAS, funds in the amount of \$121,967.00 are currently available for this purpose as certified by the Chief Financial Officer in account no(s). M-19-00-101-801


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Red Bank that the Purchasing Agent is hereby authorized to authorize the purchase of a 2023 Starcraft Allstar 22 Passenger Bus, through the HGACbuy contract #BT01-21, from Creative Bus Sales Inc., in the amount of \$121,967.00 as set forth in their proposal dated August 30, 2022.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that, to the extent applicable, this resolution is further contingent upon the Chief Financial Officer's Certification of Sufficient Funds.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk forward a certified true copy of this resolution to the Chief Financial Officer.

| | MOVED | SECONDED | AYES | NAYS | ABSTAIN | ABSENT |
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| Councilwoman Mirandi | | | X | | | |
| Councilwoman Sturdivant | | | X | | | |
| Councilwoman Triggiano | x | | X | | | |
| Councilman Ballard | | | X | | | |
| Councilman Zipprich | | x | X | | | |
| Councilwoman Horgan | | | x | | | |
| Mayor Menna | | | | | | |
| ON CONSENT AGENDA | Yes <u>x</u> | | No <u> </u> | | | |

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Borough Council of the Borough of Red Bank, In the County of Monmouth at a Meeting held on Sept. 14, 2022.



 Laura Reinertsen, Borough Clerk